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In re Application of: Carl A. Schu et al.

For: IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE INCORPORATING SELF-TIMED LOGIC

Serial No.: 10/067,570

Filed: February 5, 2002

Docket No. P9201.02

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Signature

PAUL H. McDOWALL

Printed Name

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

AMENDMENT

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Applicant requests a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time to respond to the \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for extension of time fee and \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_, for a TOTAL OF \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies, and credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Date

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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed 5 October 2005, having a three-month statutory period for reply set to expire on 5 January 2006. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in advance of the expiry the period for reply.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: